## MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

### NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 1939.

A total of 31 attacks with 21 deaths from Plague was returned during the week agains 33 attacks with 15 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Area continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1938 and 1937 were 83 attacks with 55 deaths and 51 attacks with 31 deaths, respectively.

The State remained free from Small-pox, Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 115 (7 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 27·4 (25·8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 27·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered one under Other Fevers, 9 under Phthisis, 21 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 84 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 78 deaths (18 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 27·6 (21·2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 29·7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Plague 1, Smallpox 1, Broncho-Pneumonia 1, Pneumonia 12, Other Fevers 1, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 8 and all other causes 53. The reported mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 74 (18 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 30·3 (23·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 27 6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Malaria 1, Typhoid 1, Phthisis 10. Dysentery and Diarrhœa 7 and all other causes 55 The reported mortality was normal.

There were 37 deaths (5 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 23·1 (20·6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 23·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 4 under Other Fevers, 3 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 30 under all other causes. The reported mortality was low.

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For *Director.*

## OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 6th January 1939.
(Section 5-ii).

| Name of the Division or Block | Number of bales pressed | | | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | During the week | During the corresponding week of last year | Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1938 | During the corresponding period of last year | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Mysore State | ... | ... | 1,561 | 781 | ... |

BANGALORE,
*Dated 10th January* 1939.

V. VENKATACHAR,
For *Chief Inspector of Factories.*



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